





# ONLY FACTS!

## Affect Public Opinion Permanently

Sierra Madre's citizens are rapidly realizing that the strong movement in support of the ordinances restricting sanatoriums is directed solely against **Sanatoriums**. There is no campaign against "sick people" as individuals. The city offers them just the same opportunity to locate here as ever. The restrictive ordinance has been in existence many years. The ordinance extending the zone gives the beautiful mesa land the same protection the rest of the city has had, necessary to permit growth in that direction.

The ordinance of extension interferes with a private business whose representatives try to prejudice the minds of voters, by discussion and misrepresentation of the original ordinance. By this method they have created prejudice which they now try to turn into votes to accomplish the repeal of the **ordinance of extension only**, so that they may conduct a private business.

The petition supporting the ordinance has been signed by about two hundred men and women.

About half of the local business men have signed the referendum, not necessarily supporting the attack on the ordinances, but to have the matter settled by vote. About half of the local business men did not sign the referendum petition.

Some of the numerous letters available supporting the ordinance of extension.

Sierra Madre Improvement and Protective Association.

Gentlemen: I consider the restrictive ordinance pertaining to the El Reposo Sanatorium to be reasonable and for the best protection of the City of Sierra Madre as a whole. The provisions of the original ordinance have never been enforced for the working of any hardship upon any one living here for their health.

As a property owner, I consider that any sanatorium advertising counteracts the good effects of any advertising that has been done by the several city organizations and flower shows to attract attention to Sierra Madre as a desirable place of residence.

Very respectfully,

F. B. LEWIS.

Sierra Madre, May 26th.

Sierra Madre Improvement and Protective Association.

Gentlemen: I am heartily in favor of supporting the amended ordinance on the sanatorium zone as recently passed by the city trustees. This ordinance in no way changes the situation of private persons seeking health conditions here either as tenants or owners, but prevents a reestablishment of an institution that for over ten years has been several times opened up, advertised and closed down again as a sanatorium.

As one of the property owners on North Lima street, having large subdivisions close to the locality occupied by the sanatorium, on which lots I have placed heavy building restrictions, I believe the reopening of the institution is detrimental to building up that locality with good residences. Very truly yours,

LOUIS DIETZ.

Sierra Madre, May 26th.

Sierra Madre Improvement and Protective Association.

Gentlemen: As an owner of ten acres which I hope to place on the market as a subdivision, I consider the operation of the El Reposo Sanatorium, which is located close to my property, as detrimental to the best interests of the city and holding back developments of all property for residential purposes.

I fully concur in the extension ordinance as recently passed by the city trustees.

Respectfully,

HERMAN BLATZ.

Sierra Madre, May 26th.

## Sierra Madre Improvement & Protective Association

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Headquarters: Office of L. DIETZ, 10 North Baldwin Avenue. Come in and sign petition and register your name to vote

## Adv. A PUBLIC LETTER

In re sanitarium subject. Will some one stand up and explain what else this town can advertise? We have climate, scenery, good water, moral people and are (apparently) a model community. The climate gave this place a world wide reputation as a health resort. Ninety per cent of the old settlers came here on account of lung, bronchial and kindred complaints. Some even now cannot sleep in Los Angeles without getting wheezy and hasten out to our beautiful town. Owing to its location and the desirability for sanitarium sites, Captain J. A. Osgood made a deal to purchase the J. G. Blumer place for a supposed syndicate to erect such a building some years ago. Why forget? Is not the place just as suitable today? Have the climate or social conditions changed? The Los Angeles physicians who state that Sierra Madre is a "Tubercular Camp" are absolutely correct, so is Monrovia and Altadena. Sierra Madre has been such for forty years back. It will be for forty and more years to come. If the sick people stopped coming who would come? It would take two or three generations to change the conditions. As secretary of the board of health here, some years ago, I had records compiled of the tubercular people. These records are confidential, but I can say thirty-five per cent of the school children were from tubercular families. In that year the death rate showed eighty-four per cent from tuberculosis. As I look out of my bedroom window I can count twenty-one houses that contain tubercular people. Why evade the issue? God evidently created this and other sections in Southern California as "Tubercular Camps," and we might as well be truthful and acknowledge it. I came here eight years ago knowing I was coming into a hotbed of tuberculosis. Little "Unkey" Hosmer informed me that everybody had it up here and that everybody got cured of it up here. Since then, on an average of twice a month I get haled by some acquaintance around the court house or in newspaper offices, with these salutations: "What are you living in that tubercular resort for? Who is sick in your family? My, but that's a pretty town. It's only for sick people though." Only recently Judge Paul J. McCormick of the superior court of Los Angeles mentioned what a beautiful place Sierra Madre was and how unfortunate that Mrs. Lund had made a failure of the sanitarium. Judge Willis, also of the superior court, who was

a stockholder and acted as treasurer of the "El Reposo" also remarked what an ideal site the sanitarium occupied and what a big thing it meant for the town. Coming from the east recently I met a Chicagoan on the train. We exchanged cards. Immediately upon reading "Sierra Madre" he exclaimed, "Fine place for consumptives; it's well known in Chicago as a 'tuberular resort.' I've had friends there," etc. Even at one of our dances a partner, who hailed from the city of Los Angeles, gave me this: "Are you one of the lungers up here? You don't look it." I had gotten short of breath and was puffing from the exertion of dancing. When I replied I was not, she said, "Well, a lunger brought me out, but I'm not one, so we can dance with impunity." Needless to say we did. I cite these instances to show we cannot get away from it. We are known as a "Tubercular Camp," or if that hurts anyone, as a "Tubercular Resort." We are known as such, we have been known as such for years and we will be known as such for years to come. We are on the map as a lunger's resort and on the map we will stay as such. This twaddle about adverse advertising is foolish. I say let us have a tubercular sanitarium where the educational advantages will mean much to others. Sierra Madre is known throughout the length and breadth of this land as the third of ten best places in the world for tuberculosis. It is being advertised as a tubercular resort, which it is. It should, as a tubercular resort, have a sanitarium. A similar deal to that Messrs. Osgood, Blumer, et al., were trying to carry through is now about to be consummated, let us help it on. Let us welcome and help Dr. Charles A. Shepard who has the endorsements of Drs. Barlow, Bicknell, Moore, Bridges and others. These physicians and others recognize Sierra Madre as one of the few places fit for a sanitarium. Let us cut out our selfish interests and drop personalities. I understand when woman suffrage came politics were to be purified, man being so vile. Why practice "South of Market Street" and "Ate Ward" heel tactics to change opinions. Some people are wondering what moral difference there is between a party threatening to boycott a merchant if he does not act in accordance with your opinions, or a factory owner threatening to discharge an employee if he does not vote a certain ticket, or offering a man five dollars for his vote. Looked at from the high plane of purified politics there does not seem much choice. I respect every-

body's opinion, but I do not agree with the opposition. I am not going to try and place a boycott on a certain wholesale grocery house because its representative living here is on the opposition, nor threaten anyone with social ostracism, nor denounce them as fifty years behind the age because they do not agree with me. I am going out in the broad highways, lanes and byways and fight the opposition in the open. Many of them I admire and look upon as friends. I am for the sanitarium. Let us be truthful. We're all here for health's sake, for our health, for the health of our children, or our relatives, or we were brought here by some friend who was here for health's sake. Why term a sanitarium an undesirable business, when so much good has been accomplished, so many lives prolonged and its educational features recognized the world over. Would this howl of undesirable business been heard if it was a paying institution and the howlers held stock? How many were thrown on the city when "El Reposo" closed? I visited this former institution on an average weekly. I know practically the conditions that existed. I aided a party in securing other accommodations after it closed. Who, pray, were the ones thrown out and where are they? If there is no objection to the individual health seeker who comes to Sierra Madre to make a home, and no hostility, why the objection to a poor unfortunate coughing at night? Why the objection to their getting off the cars at certain localities? Why the objection to a sanitarium that would harbor in cottages many of the individual health seekers? Kindly let us have a record of this friendly attitude to sick strangers, outside of a municipal nurse's report. I came here for my wife's health. How about you, Mr. Man, who objects to a poor individual's cough? Come, speak up. Some of you look sickly yourselves. How about some of your relatives and friends? Let us be fair, let us give others the same opportunities that we might seek ourselves, we know not how soon. Let us cut out this selfishness, this commercialism. Sierra Madre Madre is no place for that. We are too big. Sierra Madre is a health resort pure and simple. Has always been and always will be. The "T. B.'s" made the town what it is. The "T. B.'s" support the town now. The "T. B.'s" hold public office and have helped to upraise the standard. The "T. B.'s" have gotten cured here. The "T. B.'s" need a sanitarium and the opposition and city officials would erect a lasting monument to this place by endowing a ward or two in a well regulated sanitarium for a few indigent "T. B.'s" who might be so unfortunate as to become stranded in this "T. B."

SCHOOL BOND ELECTION NOTICE  
Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Sierra Madre City School District of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the 15th day of June, 1914, at the school house in said District, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. (during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open), at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said district to the amount of Twelve Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars for the purpose of raising money for purchasing school lots, for building or purchasing one or more school buildings, or making alterations or additions to any school buildings with furniture or necessary apparatus and for improving school grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds thereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of Five Hundred Dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum, payable annually, and shall be numbered from 1 to 25 consecutively, payable as follows, to-wit:

Bond No. 1, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 1 year.

Bond No. 2, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 2 years.

Bond No. 3, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 3 years.

Bond No. 4, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 4 years.

Bond No. 5, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 5 years.

Bond No. 6, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 6 years.

Bond No. 7, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 7 years.

Bond No. 8, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 20 years.

Bond No. 9, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 21 years.

Bond No. 10, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 22 years.

Bond No. 11, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 23 years.

Bond No. 12, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 24 years.

Bond No. 13, Five Hundred Dollars, to run 25 years.

That S. R. G. Twycross will act as Inspector and W. P. Caley and L. Dietz will act as the Judges of said Election, and conduct the same, said Inspector and Judges being competent and qualified electors of said School District.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 12th day of May, 1914.

EDWARD T. PIERCE,  
ESTELLE H. FENNEL,  
J. H. WRIGHT,  
Trustees of said School District,  
Los Angeles County, California.

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corner Auburn and Olive. Phone  
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WANTED—Work cleaning yards,  
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FOR SALE—6 laying hens and rooster,  
very fine stock. Phone Green 81.  
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FOR SALE—Single harness with  
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FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1914

## ORDINANCE NO 183

## WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES

An Ordinance of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre Establishing the Grades of Adams Street from the North Line of Highland Avenue to the North Terminus, 601 Feet North of the North Line of Grand View Avenue.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre do ordain as follows:  
SECTION 1. That the grades of Adams Street from the north line of Highland Avenue to the north terminus, 601 feet north of the north line of Grand View Avenue, in the City of Sierra Madre, are hereby established as follows:

At the northwest corner of Highland Avenue and Adams Street.... 917.00

At the northeast corner of Highland Avenue and Adams Street.... 916.00

At a point on the west line 50 feet north of Highland Avenue.... 920.80

At a point on the east line 50 feet north of Highland Avenue.... 919.80

At a point in the west line 100 feet north of Highland Avenue.... 924.00

At a point on the east line 100 feet north of Highland Avenue.... 923.00

At the southwest corner of Laurel Avenue and Adams Street.... 947.00

At the southeast corner of Laurel Avenue and Adams Street.... 946.00

At the northwest corner of Laurel Avenue and Adams Street.... 949.80

At the northeast corner of Laurel Avenue and Adams Street.... 948.80

At a point on the west line 200 feet north of Laurel Avenue.... 962.50

At a point on the east line 200 feet north of Laurel Avenue.... 961.50

At a point on the west line 250 feet north of Laurel Avenue.... 965.30

At a point on the east line 250 feet north of Laurel Avenue.... 964.20

At the southwest corner of Grand View Avenue and Adams Street 968.00

At the southeast corner of Grand View Avenue and Adams Street 966.50

At the northwest corner of Grand View Avenue and Adams Street 971.40

At the northeast corner of Grand View Avenue and Adams Street 970.20

At a point on the west line 200 feet north of Grand View Avenue.... 982.00

At a point on the east line 200 feet north of Grand View Avenue.... 980.80

At a point on the west line 400 feet north of Grand View Avenue.... 992.80

At a point on the east line 400 feet north of Grand View Avenue.... 991.80

At a point on the west line 601 feet north of Grand View Avenue.... 1004.00

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SECTION 2. The above elevations of grade are given above a bench mark, an X in the curb at the northwest corner of Central and Baldwin Avenues in the City of Sierra Madre, the elevation of which is \$24.19 feet.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the Sierra Madre News, a weekly newspaper published and circulated in the City of Sierra Madre and hereby designated for that purpose, and from and after this publication this ordinance shall take effect and be in force.

The foregoing ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sierra Madre on the 14th day of May, 1914, by the affirmative vote of at least three trustees, to-wit:

Ayes: Trustees Beard, Pegler, Steinberger and Jones.

Nos: None.

Absent: Trustee Tarr.

Signed and approved this 14th day of May, 1914.

C. W. JONES,  
President Board of Trustees.

Attest:

C. H. PERRY,  
City Clerk.

(Corporate Seal)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF  
THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE  
SIERRA MADRE WATER CO.

To be held at the office of the company

in the City of Sierra Madre on the

15th day of June, 1914, in pursuance

of a resolution of the Board of Directors

of the said Sierra Madre Water

Company, adopted at a special meet-

ing of such Board, regularly called

and held at the office of the Company

in the City of Sierra Madre, County

of Los Angeles, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to each

of the stockholders of the said Sierra

Madre Water Company that a special

meeting of such stockholders has been

called by the said Board of Directors,

and that such special meeting of such

stockholders will be held at the office

of the Company in the said City of

Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles,

State of California, on June 15th, 1914,

at seven-thirty o'clock P. M.

This meeting is called for the pur-

pose, among others, of considering and

deciding and voting upon the amend-

ment of the articles of incorporation

by shortening the term of the existence

of the corporation; and any other busi-

ness that may arise in connection

therewith.

CARLTON J. PEGLER,

Secretary.

Dated, Sierra Madre, Cal., May 27,

1914.

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Postcards at the News Printery

trees at the rear, formed a rarely beau-  
tiful and effective background for its  
presentation. Mother Goose and mem-  
bers of her family gave the major part  
of the program and it was a pleasure  
to renew the acquaintance of these  
merry folks in such pleasant surround-  
ings. All the roles were well taken, but  
the most difficult, that of the crooked  
man who found the six pence, was very  
cleverly acted by Mrs. H. L. Hawkhurst.  
Miss Margery Evans of the Cumnock  
Schools gave two readings so naturally  
and spontaneously that they were much  
enjoyed. A negro dialogue interspersed  
with plantation melodies was given by a group of girls trained  
by Miss Carson and a ukulele and mandolin  
duet pleasantly rendered by Karl Hart and Franklin Wright closed an  
enjoyable and refreshing program.

Mrs. L. L. Krebs very cleverly dis-  
guised as an old fortune teller and  
looking at least 105, acted the part to  
perfection and succeeded in inducing  
the guests to "cross her palm with sil-  
ver" often enough to add substantially  
to the club's treasury.

There will be a moving picture show  
at the club house on Saturday evening.

PRESS COMMITTEE.

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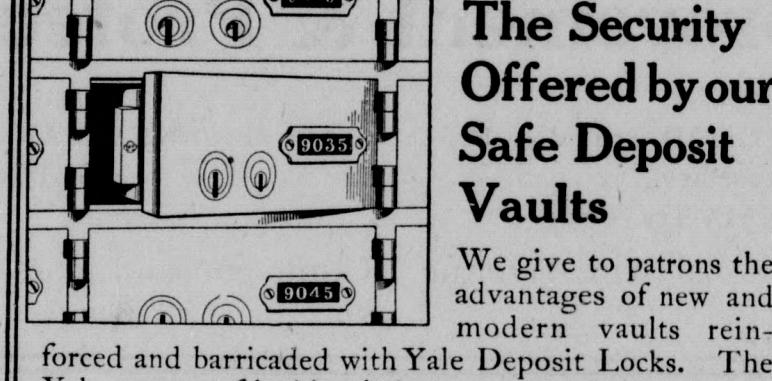
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